## Congress of the United States Washington, DC 20515

Peter DeFazio
Chairman
Committee on Transportation & Infrastructure
U.S. House of Representatives
2164 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Sam Graves
Ranking Member
Committee on Transportation&Infrastructure
U.S. House of Representatives
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Dear Chair DeFazio and Ranking Member Graves:

I am requesting funding for the Breakers Avenue Streetscape Project in surface transportation reauthorization legislation.

The project sponsor for this project is the City of Fort Lauderdale and the project is located at Breakers Avenue between Riomar Street and Vistamar Street, City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

The funding is designated for creating an iconic corridor that not only provides mobility but is also a safe, accessible, attractive, climate-resilient public space serving neighbors and visitors in Fort Lauderdale beach. Proposed improvements include streetscape elements such as pedestrian lighting, trees, landscape, shared used street design, and underground water and sewer utility upgrades.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars and is anticipated to have the following benefits. The project will provide mobility options by creating a safe, accessible, attractive, climateresilient public space serving neighbors and visitors of Fort Lauderdale beach.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Theodore E. Deutch Member of Congress April 27, 2021